

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2021 and 2022 HB5078

Introduced 1/27/2022, by Rep. Stephanie A. Kifowit

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/3-664

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that no registration fee for a Gold Star license plate shall be required from a child (in addition to a surviving widow, widower, or parent) of a person who served in the Armed Forces of the United States and lost his or her life while serving on active duty (instead of "while in service while in wartime").

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1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by changing Section 3-664 as follows:

6 (625 ILCS 5/3-664)

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Sec. 3-664. Gold Star license plates. Upon application, the Secretary of State shall issue registration plates designated as Gold Star license plates to any Illinois resident who is the surviving widow, widower, daughter, son, or parent of a person who served in the Armed Forces of the United States and lost his or her life while in service whether in peacetime or war. The surviving widow or widower and each surviving parent, daughter, son, and sibling shall be issued one or more sets of registration plates. Registration plates issued under this Section shall be for first division vehicles and second division vehicles of 8,000 pounds or less. The Secretary may, in his or her discretion, allow the plates to be issued as vanity or personalized plates Section 3-405.1 of this accordance with registration fee shall be required from a surviving widow, widower, or child of a person who served in the Armed Forces of the United States and lost his or her life

- 1 while <u>serving on active duty</u> in service while in wartime.
- 2 (Source: P.A. 102-106, eff. 1-1-22.)